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Title: "System And Method For Distributed Storage And Presentation Of Multimedia In A Cable Network Environment"

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() A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 has been added to the specification.

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- 1 Page Request and Certification under 35 USC 122.
- 31 Pages of Specification.
- 6 Pages Claims.
- 1 Page Abstract.
- 7 Pages of Drawings (Informal).
- 2 Pages Declaration/Power of Attorney (signed).
- 4 Pages of Form PTO-1449.
- 1 Copy each of the 22 references cited in the Form PTO-1449.
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Title "System And Method For Distributed Storage And Presentation Of
Multimedia In A Cable Network Environment"

Atty Docket Number VER-001

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